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DULVERTON RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

and the

PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR

YEAR - 1967.



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D U L V E R T O N R U R A L D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L

List of Rural District Councillors as at 31st December, 1967.

<u>Chairman</u>	Mr. H.S. Holman, Little Marsh, Dulverton.
<u>Vice Chairman</u>	Mr. I.J. Kemp, High Street, Dulverton.
Miss B.K. Abbot.	Major M.P. Morris.
Mrs M. Bovill.	Mr. R.C. Newton.
Mr. D.R. Clayton.	Mr. J. Richards.
Mr. C. Denscombe.	Mr. W.B. Reynolds.
Mr. J. Hayes.	Mr. A.B. Smallridge.
Mr. A. Herbert.	Mr. V.W.J. Stevens.
Mr. F.L. Herniman.	Brig. A.E. Snow.
Capt. R.E. Lloyd.	Mrs M.M. Snail.
Mr. W.J. Marke.	Mr. R.L.V. Wilkes.
Group Capt. K.A. Meek.	

The Public Health Committee consists of the Council as a whole.

<u>Clerk to the Council</u>	R.W. Halse Esq., Solicitor.
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PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICERS FOR THE DISTRICT.

Part Time Medical Officer of Health

Dr. G. Nicholson, M.D., D.P.H., F.R.C.S.,

Public Health Inspector & Surveyor

Mr. R.J. Organ, A.R.S.H., M.A.P.H.I., A.I.P.H.E.,

Technical Assistant in Public Health Inspector's Office.

Mr. G.O. Jones.

Clerk

Mrs M.R. Davenport.

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DULVERTON,
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I beg to submit my Annual Report on the health of the Dulverton Rural District during the year 1967.

STATISTICS & SOCIAL CONDITIONS OF THE AREA.

Social Conditions:- The vast majority of the inhabitants are engaged on agricultural pursuits and appear to be exceptionally healthy in consequence.

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
Live Births Legitimate	49	28	21
Live Births Illegitimate	4	2	2
Deaths from all Causes	42	25	17
Still Births	NIL	NIL	NIL
Birth Rate per 1,000 of the estimated population	12.9		
Death Rate per 1,000 of the estimated population	10.2		
Corrected Death Rate	8.8		
Corrected Birth Rate	15.4		
Death rate of Infants under 1 week	1		
Death rate of Infants one to four weeks :	1		
Death rate of Infants four weeks to one year	1		

Under 1 year of age	Rate per 1,000 live births	57	
Perinatal Mortality	Rate per 1,000 total births	19,	<u>Contd.</u>

Deaths (All Ages)

Ratio of local adjusted death rate to National rate 0.80

Live Births

Ratio of local adjusted birth rate to National rate 0.93

PREVALENCE AND CONTROL OVER INFECTIOUS AND OTHER DISEASES

No particular disease was unduly prevalent during the year.

VACCINATIONS.

Vaccinations carried out by the Medical Officer of Health during 1967
in the Dulverton Rural District NIL

Medical practitioners now carry out vaccinations.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES (OTHER THAN TUBERCULOSIS)

	<u>Total Cases</u> <u>Notified</u>	<u>Cases admitted</u> <u>to Hospital</u>	<u>Deaths</u>
Small Pox			
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-
Diphtheria	-	-	-
Measles	20	-	-
Whooping Cough	-	-	-
Puerperal pyrexia	-	-	-
Pneumonia	-	-	-
Erysipelas	-	-	-
<u>Other Diseases notifiable locally</u>			
Influenzal Pleurisy	-	-	-
Chicken Pox	-	-	-
Acute Poliomyelitis	-	-	-
Dysentery	-	-	-
Anthrax	-	-	-

Deaths from Cancer.

Lung 3, Breast 1, Uterus 2, Others 4 Total = 10

The following table gives details of the mortality from cancer which
has taken place in the Dulverton Rural District during the past 14 years.

Gastric Cancer	22	Cancer of Bowel	7
Testis	1	Ovary	3
Bladder	6	Oesophagus	9
Breast	26	Pancreas	9
Uterus	6	Prostate	3
Rectum	5	Larynx	1
Bronchus	14	Valvae	1
Brain	1	Orbit	1
Rodent Ulcer of Scalp	1	Cervix	1
Leukaemia	3	Others	17
<u>Total</u> - 137			

1
1
1
17

Orbit
Cervix
Optic

1
1
3

Robert Union of World
Lithography

Total
131

1
1
1
17

Orbit
Cervix
Optic

1
1
3

Robert Union of World
Lithography

Total
131

GENERAL PROVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES IN THE AREA

(1) Home Nursing and Midwives

These services are provided by the Health Department of the Somerset County Council. Three District Nurses reside within the area and where required there is liaison with the Local Authority.

(2) Home Helps

The Home Help service is operated and controlled by the Welfare Dept., of the Somerset County Council. A number of cases of elderly persons living alone are referred to the Home Help Organiser and in most cases assistance has been provided which has resulted in a general improvement in home conditions.

(3) Infectious Diseases

Where required cases of infectious diseases are removed to isolation hospitals outside the area and the necessary enquiries and investigations are carried out by the Public Health Inspector.

(4) Laboratories

Arrangements for the carrying out of Pathological and Bacteriological Examinations, Analysis of Foodstuffs etc., are made with the Somerset County Laboratory at County Hall, Taunton and with the Public Health Laboratory Service at Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton.

(5) Ambulance Facilities

These facilities are provided by the Somerset County Council.

(6) Hospitals

There are no hospitals of any description within the area. Hospital accommodation for cases of infectious diseases remains unchanged.

(7) Maternity and Nursing Homes

There are no maternity or Nursing Homes within the area of this Authority. Where necessary maternity cases are removed to Minehead, Tiverton or Taunton Hospitals. Cases of Maternal Mortality and puerperal Pyrexia are investigated by the County Authority. Ante-Natal and Child Welfare Clinic is held at Exmoor House, Dulverton each month.

(8) Institutional Provisions for the Care of the Mental Defective

There are no such institutions within the area of this Authority.

(9) Diphtheria Immunisations and Vaccinations

Diphtheria Immunisations, poliomyelitis and smallpox vaccinations are carried out by general practitioners and at the monthly clinic held at Exmoor House, Dulverton.

Water Supply

- (1) The West Somerset Water Board are the Statutory Undertakers for most public supplies in the area of the Dulverton Rural District, the only exception being a small area at Oldways End in the parishes of Dulverton and Brushford which is supplied by the North Devon Water Board.

Nine out of a total of eleven parishes in the area have a public water supply. Routine samples both for Bacteriological and Chemical examination are taken at frequent intervals during the year by the Public Health Inspector and Surveyor and the results of the samples so taken are set out in his report.

- (2) Drainage and Sewerage

This subject is dealt with fully in the Public Health Inspector's section of this report.

- (3) Rivers and Stream Pollution

The pollution of rivers and streams is dealt with mainly by the Devon River Authority.

- (4) Schools

All schools within the area have flush toilets although in many of the older schools these are contained in old buildings sometimes far removed from the main school buildings. Following strong representations it is pleasing to note the County Council have accepted the need for improvements to such accommodation and plans for new toilet facilities were prepared in respect of Schools at Withypool, Exford, Winsford, Dulverton, Brompton Regis and Upton, and the first of these schemes at Exford was in fact commenced during 1967.

The majority of Schools have kitchens attached where school meals are prepared and these premises are inspected from time to time by the Public Health Inspector to ensure compliance with the Food Hygiene Regulations.

- (5) Public Cleansing

See Public Health Inspector's Report.

TUBERCULOSIS

No new cases of Tuberculosis were notified during 1967.

My thanks are again due to Mr Organ for his assistance in compiling this report.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

GEORGE NICHOLSON.

Medical Officer of Health.

Council Offices,
Exmoor House,
DULVERTON,
Somerset.

June, 1968.

CAUSES OF DEATH AT DIFFERENT PERIODS OF LIFE DURING 1964 IN THE RURAL DISTRICT OF DIVERTON

CAUSE OF DEATH	Total All Ages	Under 4 weeks	4 weeks and under 1 year	AGE IN YEARS							
				1-	5-	15-	25-	35-	45-	55-	65- and over
11. MALIGNANT NEOPLASM, LUNG BRONCHUS	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
12. MALIGNANT NEOPLASM, BREAST	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
13. MALIGNANT NEOPLASM, UTERUS	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
14. OTHER MALIGNANT AND LYMPHATIC NEOPLASMS	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
17. VASCULAR LESIONS OF NERVOUS SYSTEM	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
18. CORONARY DISEASE, ANGINA	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
20. OTHER HEART DISEASE	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
21. OTHER CIRCULATORY DISEASE	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
23. PNEUMONIA	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
24. BRONCHITIS	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
27. GASTRITIS, ENTERITIS, AND DIARRHOEA	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
28. NEPHRITIS AND NEPHROSIS	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
29. HYPERTROPHY OF PROSTATE	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
31. CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32. OTHER DEFINED AND ILL-DEFINED DISEASES	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
34. ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1



D U L V E R T O N R U R A L D I S T R I C T C O U N C I L

Report of the Public Health Inspector & Surveyor for the year 1967.

P R E F A C E

Mr Chairman, Ladies & Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in submitting my tenth Annual Report upon the work of the Department during 1967.

The text and accompanying statistics in each section of the report again gives some indication of the wide and varied nature of the duties performed in an office where the duties of Public Health Inspector & Surveyor are combined. The report contains the information required by Ministry of Health Circular 1/68.

By reason of the continued growth in general administrative work, and further increased legislation which this department are required to enforce the amount of routine Public Health Inspections is apt to decrease and this is a matter over which concern should be felt and onw which should justify a review of the staff structure of the department. In the absence of some additional staff routine works ~~will~~ be neglected more and more and some delays on other works are inevitable.

The year in question has been one of steady growth in the services provided by the Council with capital works in progress on Housing and Sewerage Schemes, extension of Refuse Collection servives and for the improvements of Council Houses.

My thanks are again expressed to members of the Council for their support and to all members of the staff in particular Mr Jones and Mrs Davenport for their co-operation and assistance throughout the year.

I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

R.J. ORGAN.

Public Health Inspector &
Surveyor.

June, 1968

Public Health Inspector's Report for the Year ended 31st December - 1967.

The total number of inspections and visits made during the year amounted to 1706 and the details below indicate the multifarious nature of these duties.

GENERAL SANITATION

Visits in connection with Water Supplies (Main and Private Supplies)	131
Visits in connection with drainage of Private Buildings	26
Sewage Works	117
Moveable Dwellings (Caravans, Tents etc.,)	61
Enforcement of Petroleum Regulations	35
Public Conveniences	30
Flood Prevention Works	20
Factories	4
Offices, Shops etc.,	9
Refuse Collection and Disposal (including Litter Collection and control)	100
Rodent Control	21
General Nuisance and Complaints	27
Schools	8
Licensed Premises	7
Miscellaneous Public Health Matters	22
New Constructional Works (Local Authority)	168
New Constructional Works (Private)	251

HOUSING

Routine Inspections of Council Houses	110
Visits in connection with repair and maintenance of Council Houses	224
Inspections and re-inspection of private houses under Housing Acts	31
Investigation of Improvement Grant application and Miscellaneous	4

INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Inquiries and other Miscellaneous Matters	8
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INSPECTION OF MEAT AND OTHER FOODS

Total Meat Inspection visits	235
Routine visits shops and other Establishments re: enforcements of Food Hygiene Regulations	42
Miscellaneous Food Visits	7
Other Miscellaneous Visits	8

Total = 1706

H O U S I N G

(a) Council Houses

Eight new bungalows were completed during the year on a site at Market Close, Brushford bringing the total of Council owned dwellings within the area to 257.

Further progress was made during the year by the Council's Architects on the preparation of the following schemes:-

Dulverton	Pixton Way - (Phase 2)	4	Houses
		9	Bungalows.
		4	O.P. Bungalows
Winsford - Ash	Ash Lane	4	Bungalows
Bridgetown		2	Bungalows

Following extensive survey work the Council gave serious consideration to unsatisfactory hot water systems at a number of Post 1945 Council dwellings. Instructions were given for certain works to proceed and with the aid of the direct labour force alterations to such systems were completed at four houses during the year.

With the exception of external decorations the majority of routine maintenance works were undertaken by the small direct labour force which is controlled and supervised by the Department.

(b) Private Housing and Action under Housing Acts.

Eight private dwellings were erected during the year as compared with five for the previous year. A further five dwellings were in course of construction at the end of December and in addition plans for a private estate development for 15 dwellings were approved.

The total No. of dwellings erected in the district from 1st April 1945 to 31st December 1967 is as follows:-

Local Authority	181
Private Enterprise	95

Three sub standard dwellings at Dulverton were demolished during the year.

Time and Place Notices under the Housing Acts were served in respect of two properties. In one case an Undertaking not to occupy was accepted and the other case was deferred pending vacation by the elderly tenant.

No new cases of overcrowding were reported during the year.

(c) Improvement Grants

(i) Discretionary

Number of applications and houses dealt with by Local Authority during year :-

(1)		(2)	
Received		Approved	
Applications	Number of Dwellings	Applications	Number of Dwellings
4	4	4	4

OTE Number of applications approved in respect of owner/occupied dwellings during year 2.

Average cost per dwelling approved during year £758

Amount of grant payable by Local Authority £1433

ii) Standard

1. Number of applications (a) Received 13

(b) Approved 13

2. Number of houses where standard amenities have been provided 11

OTE Number of applications approved in respect of owner/occupiers during year 7

Any observations

The figure given at (2) above indicates the No. of dwellings provided with Standard amenities during the year. The total No. provided with such amenities since the inception of the scheme now amounts to 55.

WATER SUPPLY

a) Public Supplies

The quality of water supplied by the West Somerset Water Board continued to be generally satisfactory. Only in the case of one or two small village supplies did occasional samples fail to reach the high standard required for public supplies, and in no case did any report signify serious contamination. Results of the samples obtained in respect of each of the supplies are as follows:-

SUPPLY

	<u>Total No. of samples</u>	<u>No. found satisfactory</u>	<u>No. found unsatisfactory.</u>
Dulverton and Brushford	17	17	-
Dulverton (New road)	7	7	-
Brompton Regis	12	8	4
Huish Champflower	7	5	2
Bridgetown	8	5	3
Winsford	8	7	1
Skilgate (Old)	5	3	2
" (New)	7	5	2
Exford	9	7	2
Withypool	<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
	<u>88</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>20</u>

In addition samples were taken for chemical examination and a summary of results obtained are set out in Appendix I of this report.

No complaints of shortage of water were received during the year from areas served by the statutory undertakers and it is understood the Board met all demands.

Of the 1,551 dwellings throughout the area approximately 1,000 are connected to a mains supply, the remainder - mostly outlying farms and cottages, rely on private spring or well supplies.

Private Supplies

A total of 28 samples were taken from private supplies during the year, 18 of which proved unsatisfactory. In the majority of cases the unsatisfactory samples were taken from springs which it was proposed to utilize for supply purposes and repeat samples were taken following remedial works.

MOVEABLE DWELLINGS.

The total number of licensed sites within the area remains at six, each site licensed for only one Caravan. In addition the Caravan Club continued to run their site at the rear of Exmoor House, Dulverton which accommodates 25 Caravans and is under the constant supervision of a Warden.

A licence was issued under the Public Health Act in respect of a tented camping site at Exford.

SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE.

Sewerage systems with disposal works are provided at Dulverton, Exford and Brushford, maintenance of which is undertaken by direct labour. The Council also accept responsibility of the maintenance of a cesspool serving the hamlet at Oldways End, two cesspools at Brompton Regis and one cesspool at Dulverton serving a number of properties not connected to the main sewer at Kings Corner. In addition a number of septic tanks and cesspools serving several groups of Council Houses throughout the district are also maintained.

Works on the new Winsford Sewerage and Sewage Disposal scheme were commenced during the early part of the year and at the end of the year were 70% complete. The scheme prepared by the Council's Consulting Engineers is the first to be undertaken for many years. A resident Engineer was appointed to supervise construction.

Extensive survey works were carried out during the year in connection with the condition and adequacy of the Dulverton Sewerage Scheme and works - television surveys were made of sewers which clearly revealed those sections in need of attention and those in good condition. As a result of this survey progress was made on the preparation of a scheme to improve and enlarge the Dulverton system.

Documents were submitted to the Ministry of Housing and Local Government during the year in connection with the Council's proposals to provide a sewerage scheme to serve the village of Bridgetown.

Instructions were given to Consulting Engineers to make a survey and give a preliminary report on the possibility of providing a Sewerage Scheme to serve the Village of Brompton Regis.

Routine sampling of Sewage Works effluents was carried out by the Devon River Authority. If standards of effluent are to be maintained to the high standard of conditions imposed by the River Authority then extremely careful attention must be given to routine maintenance of all works in our care and a general improvement in such standards must be aimed for, this will not only necessitate additional manual attention but ultimately to installation of improved modern plant and equipment.

REFUSECOLLECTION

The Refuse Collection service has worked satisfactorily during the year under review. This section which perhaps receives least publicity continues to grow and the very few complaints which are received must reflect great credit on the employees engaged on this work.

Regular collections of household refuse are made from the majority of premises within the district. No charges are made for the collection of trade refuse which is in fact collected together with household refuse.

A new Karrier "Fore and Aft" Dual tip refuse lorry complete with packer plate giving 18/25cu.yd. capacity was purchased in May 1967 which replaced the 10cu. yd. side loading vehicle which had been in constant use for almost ten years.

The following schedule of Annual mileage covered by the refuse collection vehicle indicates the degree by which this service has been extended during recent years.

1958		5923
1959		6372
1960		6794
1961		7147
1962		7725
1963		8508
1964		9262
1965		9594
1966		10022
1967 Old Vehicle	3303	
New Vehicle	7135	10438

Fuel consumption for the new vehicle amounted to 10.2m.p.g. compared with an average of approximately 14.0 m.p.g. for the old vehicle.

A number of extensions of the refuse collection service were made possible following delivery of the new vehicle and revised schedules were embodied during July. The main effect of these alterations increased from monthly to fortnightly the frequency of collections to outlying areas.

Containers used by householders for the storage of refuse do I am afraid leave much to be desired, old drums, wooden boxes and other unsuitable containers are regularly seen on kerbsides on collection days, such containers are often too heavy for one man to handle, are neither storm proof, fly or vermin proof nor are they provided with proper lids or handles. There can be no doubt the only suitable container for the storage of household refuse consists of the approved type sanitary dustbin complete with lid which can be day be obtained either as metal galvanised polythene or rubber. Alternatively of course the approved type paper sack with holder is acceptable. Legislation which requires proper containers to be provided is seldom enforced but unless marked improvements can be seen in the near future in the type of container used the enforcement of such legislation may become necessary.

The tip at Hawkwell Lane, Oldways End continued in use during the year for the disposal of glass, ashes and other non combustible refuse not dealt with by the incinerators at Dulverton.

The arrangement whereby the main streets at Dulverton are swept daily was continued during the year and a contribution towards the cost is received from the Somerset County Council.

A number of additional Litter Baskets were purchased during the year and placed at popular picnic spots throughout the area. A contribution towards the cost of this work is obtained from the National Parks Committee.

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES.

New Public Conveniences were provided during the year by the Exmoor National Parks Committee at Tarr Steps, the maintenance of which is being undertaken by the R.D.C. In the absence of an adequate water supply and drainage system it was decided the new conveniences should be of the Elsan Permanent Self Draining Sanitation type. Regular attention has to be paid to the testing of the effluent and for the necessary chemical recharging of the plant.

There are now four public conveniences within the area maintained by the Council as compared to one about six years ago.

INSPECTION OF MEAT AND OTHER FOODS AND FOOD PREMISES.

(a) Food Premises Cafes etc.,

The general standard of cleanliness of food premises throughout the district was satisfactory. Only in one case was action required regarding unsatisfactory premises. I would like however to be able to devote more time to this subject. The number of food premises in the district in their respective classifications are as follows:-

(a)	Grocers and General Stores	18
(b)	Butchers	3
(c)	Bakehouses	1
(d)	Cafes and Restuarants	6
(e)	Hotels and other catering Establishments	11
(f)	School Kitchens	11
(g)	Confectioners	2
		<u>52</u>

Schedule of Food Premises subject to Food Hygiene (General) Regulations

(i)	Total No. of Premises	52
(ii)	No. of Premises fitted to comply with Reg.16.	51
(iii)	No. of Premises to which Reg.19 applies	43
(iv)	No. of Premises fitted to comply with Reg.19	43

(b) Ice-Cream

No properties are registered for the manufacture of Ice-Cream, 26 premises are registered for the storage and sale of Ice-Cream.

(c) Meat and other Foods

Two small private slaughterhouses at Dulverton continued in use during the year supplying meat to three local shops. 100% meat inspections was achieved and the number of animals inspected and details of the amount of meat found unfit were as follows:-

	<u>Bovines</u>	<u>Calves</u>	<u>Sheep</u>	<u>Pigs</u>	<u>Horses</u>
Number Killed	186	2	973	NIL	NIL
Numbers Inspected	186	2	973	NIL	NIL

Weight of Meat Condemned in lbs.

For:

(a)	Tuberculosis	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
(b)	Cysticercos	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
(c)	Other	287	NIL	39	NIL	NIL

Inspections were also made of various other foodstuffs when called upon to do so and the following foodstuffs were condemned as unfit.

123	lbs	Fresh Fish.
5	lbs	Beef.
22	lbs	Cooked Ham.
3	lbs	Chopped Pork.

(d) Poultry Inspection

There are no poultry processing establishments within the district.

(e) The Liquid Egg (Pasteurisation) Regulations 1963

There are no egg pasteurisation plants within the district.

(f) Milk

- (i) No. of registered distributors (other than producer-retailers) 4
- (ii) No. of registered dairy premises (other than dairy farms) 1

(iii) Brucella Abortus

One Notice was served during the year under Reg.20 of the Milk and Dairies (General) Regulations 1959. This action followed discovery of brucella organism in a routine sample and immediate action was taken to prevent the sale of untreated milk. The infected animals were however duly detected and after isolation from the remainder of the herd the Notice was later withdrawn.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES

No serious outbreak of any infectious diseases were notified during the year.

RODENT CONTROL

Mr. S. Takle who for many years had been employed as the Council's Rodent Operator retired during the early part of the year and the post was duly filled by Mr R. Colman. The Council continued to fulfill their obligations under the Prevention of Damage by Pests Act. and routine inspections were made during the year particularly attention being paid to Agricultural premises.

DULVERTON RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

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Prescribed Particulars on the Administration of the Factories Act, 1961

PART I OF THE ACT

1.—INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health (including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors).

Premises (1)	Number on Register (2)	Number of		
		Inspections (3)	Written notices (4)	Occupiers prosecuted (5)
(i) Factories in which Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities	2	6		
(ii) Factories not included in (i) in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority	19	11	3	
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers' premises) ...				
Total ...	21	17	3	—

2.—Cases in which DEFECTS were found.

(If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two, three or more "cases.")

Particulars (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (6)
	Found (2)	Remedied (3)	Referred to H.M. Inspector (4)	By H.M. Inspector (5)	
Want of cleanliness (S.1)	1	1		1	
Overcrowding (S.2)					
Unreasonable temperature (S.3) ...					
Inadequate ventilation (S.4)					
Ineffective drainage of floors (S.6) ...					
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient	1	1		1	
(b) Unsuitable or defective ...	1	1		1	
(c) Not separate for sexes					
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Out-work)					
Total ...	3	3	—	3	—

PART VIII OF THE ACT

Outwork

(Sections 133 and 134)

Nature of Work (1)	Section 133			Section 134		
	No. of out-workers in August list required by Section 133(1) (c) (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council (3)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (4)	No. of instances of work in unwhole- some premises (5)	Notices served (6)	Prosecutions (7)
Wearing apparel	Making, &c. ...					
	Cleaning and Washing ...					
Household Linen ...						
Lace, lace curtains and nets ...						
Curtains and furniture hangings						
Furniture and upholstery ...						
Electro-plate ...						
File making ...						
Brass and brass articles ...						
Fur pulling ...						
Iron and steel cables and chains						
Iron and steel anchors and grapnels ...						
Cart gear ...						
Locks, latches and keys ...						
Umbrellas, &c. ...						
Artificial flowers ...						
Nets, other than wire nets ...						
Tents ...						
Sacks ...						
Racquet and tennis balls ...						

PART VIII OF THE ACT (Contd.)

Outwork

(Sections 133 and 134)

Nature of Work (1)	Section 133			Section 134		
	No. of out-workers in August list required by Section 133(1) (c) (2)	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council (3)	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists (4)	No. of instances of work in unwhole- some premises (5)	Notices served (6)	Prosecutions (7)
Paper bags						
The making of boxes or other receptacles or parts thereof made wholly or partially of paper						
Brush making						
Pea picking						
Feather sorting						
Carding, &c., of buttons, &c. ...				NIL		
Stuffed toys						
Basket making						
Chocolates and sweetmeats ...						
Cosaques, Christmas stockings, &c.						
Textile weaving						
Lampshades						
TOTAL ...						

